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PARIS ALSO PASS UNESCO FOR INFO

EO 11652: GDS TAGS: UNESCO, SZ SUBJ: UNESCO EXECUTIVE BOARD: ITEM CONCERNING ISRAELI OCCUPIED TERRITORIES

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- 1. CHARGE CALLED ON POLITICAL DEPT SECGEN WEITNAUER AFTERNOON MAY 5 AND MADE PRESENTATION ALONG LINES INSTRUCTED REFTEL.
- 2. WEITNAUER SAID HE WAS SURE SWISS DELEGATION AT UNESCO WAS WELL AWARE OF PROBLEM. HE WAS SURPRISED OVER DEVELOPMENT SINCE DURING VISIT A SHORT TIME AGO M'BOW THOUGHT THAT MATTER COULD BE CLOSED OUT WITHOUT RAISING PAST CONTROVERSY.
- 3. CHARGE EMPHASIZED SERIOUS CONSEQUENCES THE PROPOSED ACTION COULD HAVE FOR US RELATIONS WITH UNESCO. WEITNAUER RESPONDED THAT SWISS GENERALLY SHARED OUT ATTITUDE ON THIS ISSUE AND HE WOULD GIVE OUR DEMARCHE ALL THE ATTENTION IT DESERVED.

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4. WE FOLLOWED UP WITH PAUL STAFFER, WHO HEADS DIVISION RESPONSIBLE UNESCO AFFAIRS. HE PROMISED CALL HUMMEL, HEAD OF SWISS DEL PARIS, IMMEDIATELY. STAUFFER ALSO SURPRISED THIS TURN OF EVENTS; VERY CONCERNED IMPLICATIONS.

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